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For

Richard L. Solomon and Eugene Saghi METHOD AND APPARATUS OF ESTABLISHING A DYNAMICALLY ADJUSTABLE LOOP OF DELAYED READ COMMANDS FOR COMPLETION IN A QUEUE BUFFER

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## NONPUBLICATION REQUEST UNDER 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

First Na	amed Inventor	Richard L. Solomon	
Title	Method and Apparatus of Establishing a Dynamically Adjustable Loop of Delayed Read Commands for Completion in a Queue Buffer		
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